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CRITICAL ITEM: Pressure relief controller

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System: Environmental Control Subsystem

for the Payload Canister. Set 2

Failure Category: 2

SAA No .: 09FT06-030

NASA Part No.: None

PMN/Name: H70-1326

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Drawing/

Part No.: P-5215-8

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Function: Monitors the pressure difference between the canister interior and an

atmospheric reference and sends a pressure signal to the pressure modulator.

Critical Failure Mode: Excessive pressure output (FMN 09FT05-030.004)

Cause: Internal part failure.

Failure Effect: Inability to sustain consistent canister pressure due to relief vent

being opened excessively. Possible particulate contamination of payload.

ACCEPTANCE RATIONALE:

Design:

o Materials: Body - aluminum alloy

Diaphragm - synthetic elastomer

Coil housing - aluminum alloy

Specifications: Rated Inlet Pressure (psig)
Temperature (4F)
Outlet signal: 3-15 psig max <u>Actual</u> 30 (max) 20 -20 to +150 Amb i en t

o Differential pressure control: 0.05-1.0 inch of water

Test:

Per File VI OMRSD requirements, operational checks are made at validation test, semiannually, at component replacement, and prior to each critical use as outlined in OMIs E3005, E6401, E6405, and OMI deviations P004-P013.

Inspection:

When testing the pressure relief vent opening and closure, visual inspection would detect a malfunctioning pressure relief controller.

Failure History:

MOAC PRACA data lists one failure. Problem has been addressed in ESR 635, which corrected the installation to eliminate a back pressure on the vent port of the controller. Data on Set 1 from 1981 to present; data on Set 2 from 1984 to present.

Operational Use:

Not applicable.